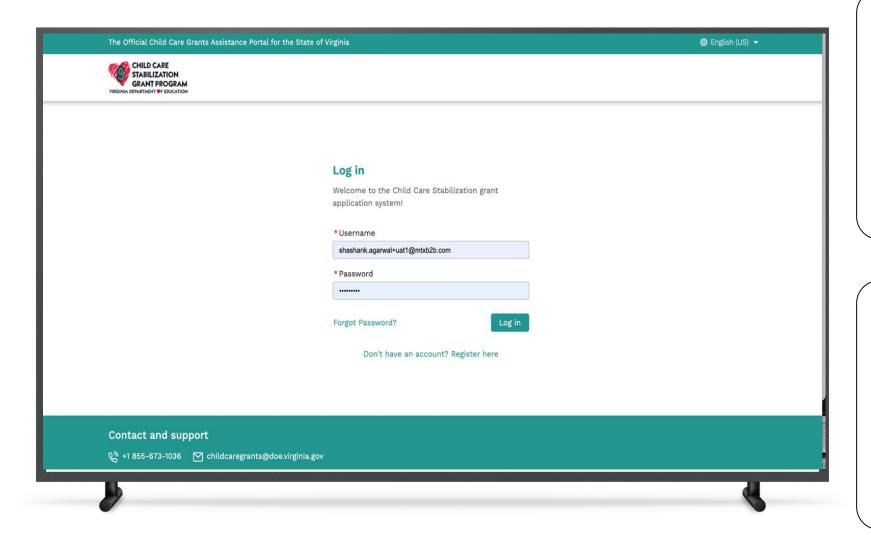


**Completing Your Child Care Stabilization Grant Program** 

**Application: A How-to Guide for Child Care Programs** 



#### Instructions

Enter your Username and Password

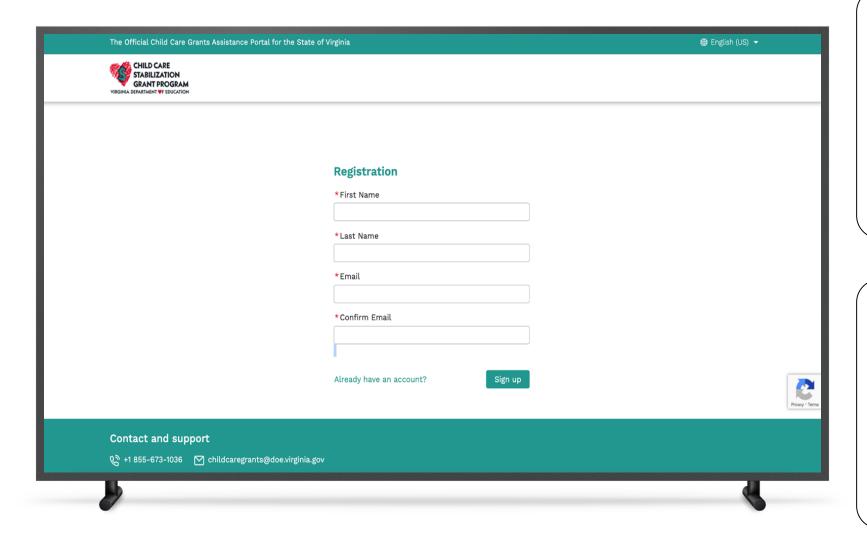
Click Log In

Or

Click Don't have an account? Register here







#### Instructions

Enter your information

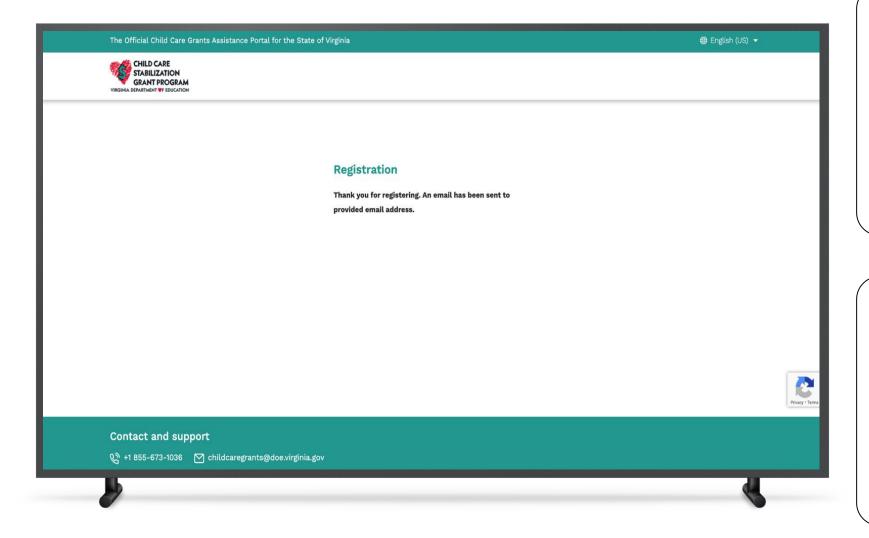
Click Sign Up

### Key Points

All fields marked with an \* are required.

You must have an email address to create an account.





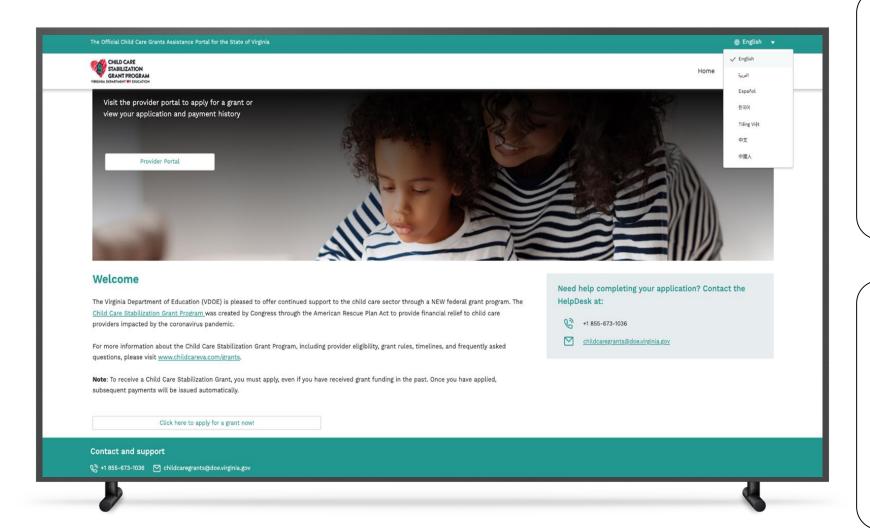
#### Instructions

You will be sent an email that contains a link to set your password.

## Key Points

Make sure you check your spam folder!





#### Instructions

Once logged in, you can change the language displayed by clicking the **Language Menu** in the upper right of the screen.

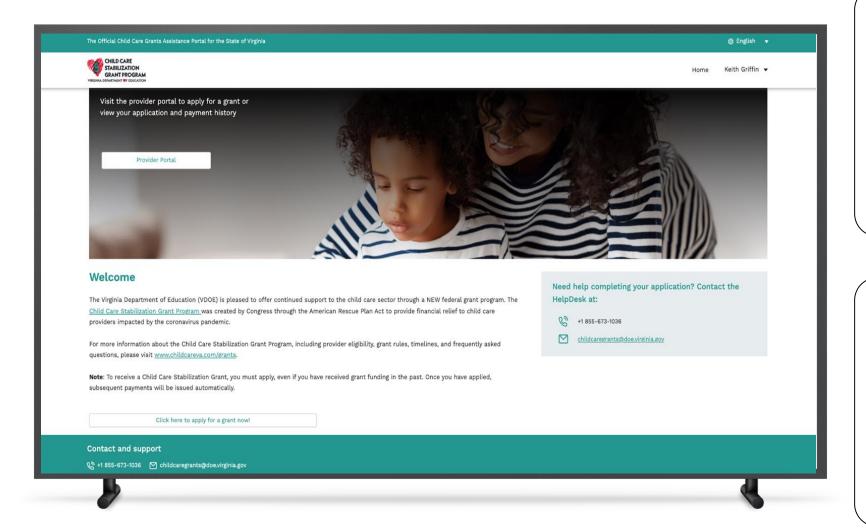


The application is available in English, Spanish, Korean, Vietnamese, Arabic, and simple and traditional Chinese.



# Applying for a Grant

### Welcome!



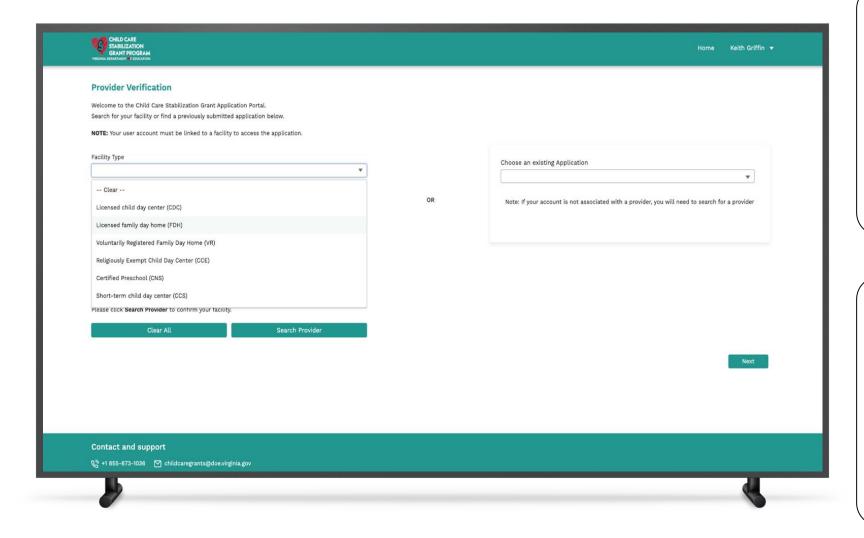
#### Instructions

Review the information provided. Click **Provider Portal** to connect your user account to your facility record.

### Key Points

Note the contact email and phone number to the right if you need assistance while completing our application. It will also appear at the bottom of your screen in the footer as you complete the application.



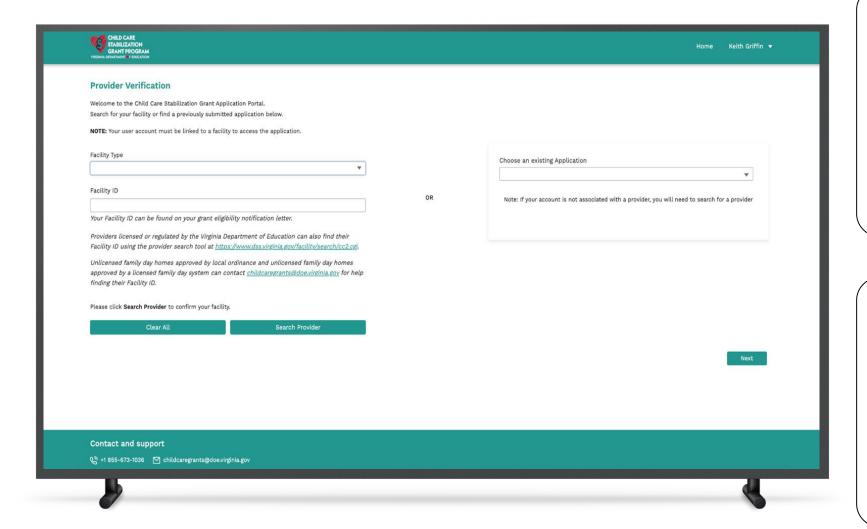


#### Instructions

Select the **Provider Type** from the drop-down menu.







#### Instructions

Enter your Facility ID and click Search Provider.

Once you have applied, you can select that existing application from the drop-down menu on the right and click **Next** to view the status of the application.

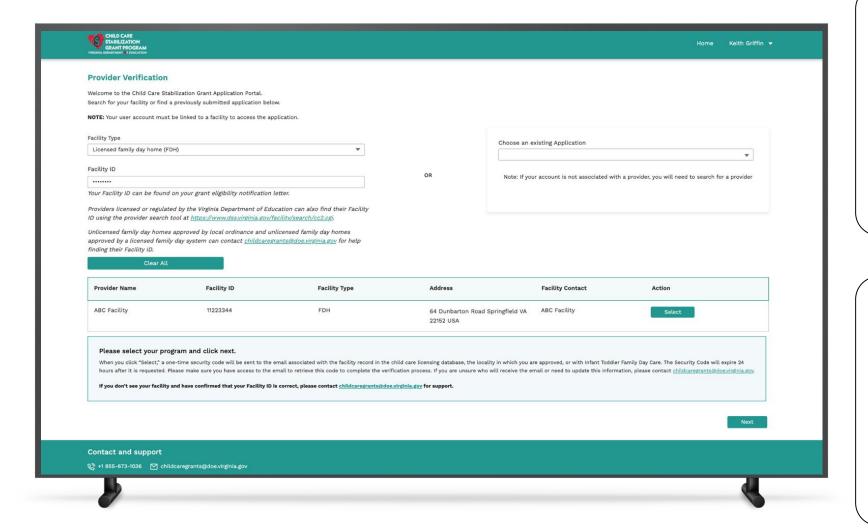
# Key Points

Programs licensed or regulated by VDOE can find their facility ID using the <a href="Child Care Search Tool">Child Care Search Tool</a>.

Any provider who needs help identifying their Facility Type and ID can email

childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov for assistance.





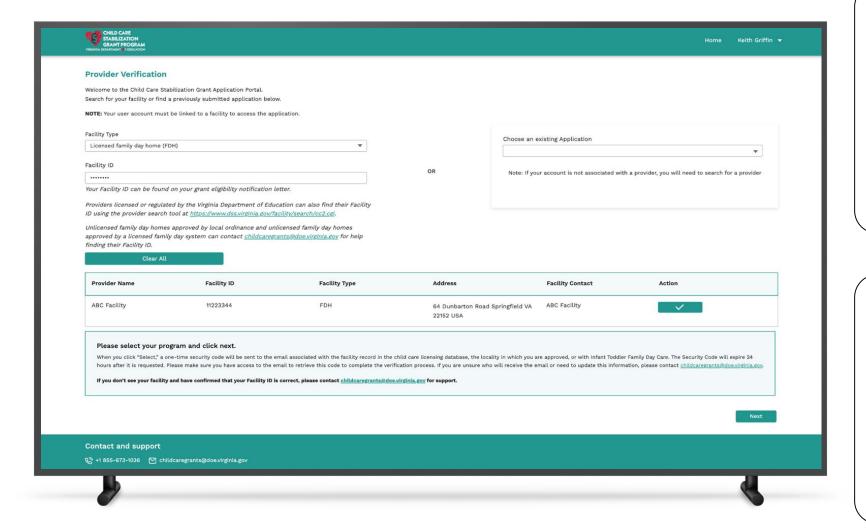
#### Instructions

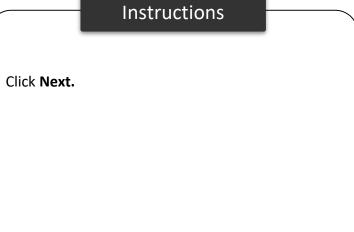
The provider information will appear below the search tool. Verify the Provider information is correct and click **Select.** 



If you can't find your program and have confirmed that your facility type and ID are correct, please contact <a href="mailto:childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov">childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov</a> for support.





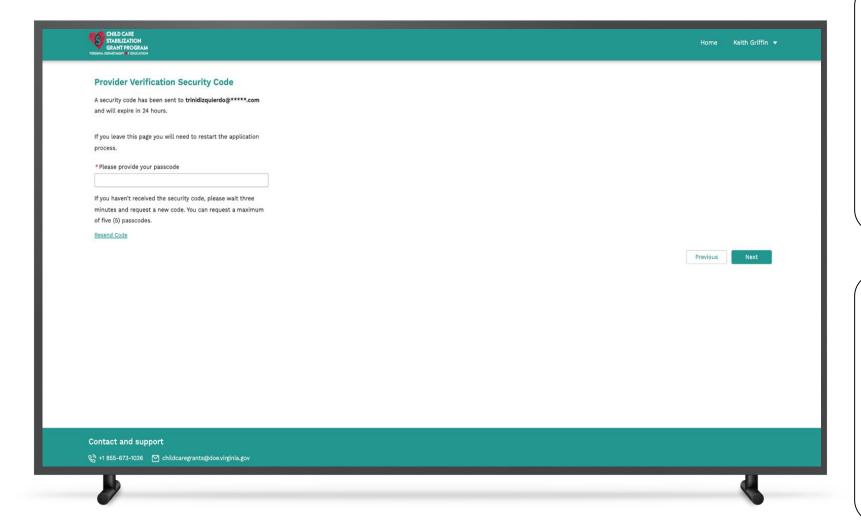




Note the Facility Contact name in the provider information box. Once you click next, an email will be sent to the Facility Contact email address on file.



# Provider Verification Security Code



#### Instructions

An email will be sent to the Facility Contact email address with a passcode.

Enter the passcode and click **Next.** This will connect your account with the facility record.

### Key Points

The passcode will expire after 24 hours. You can request a maximum of five passcodes.

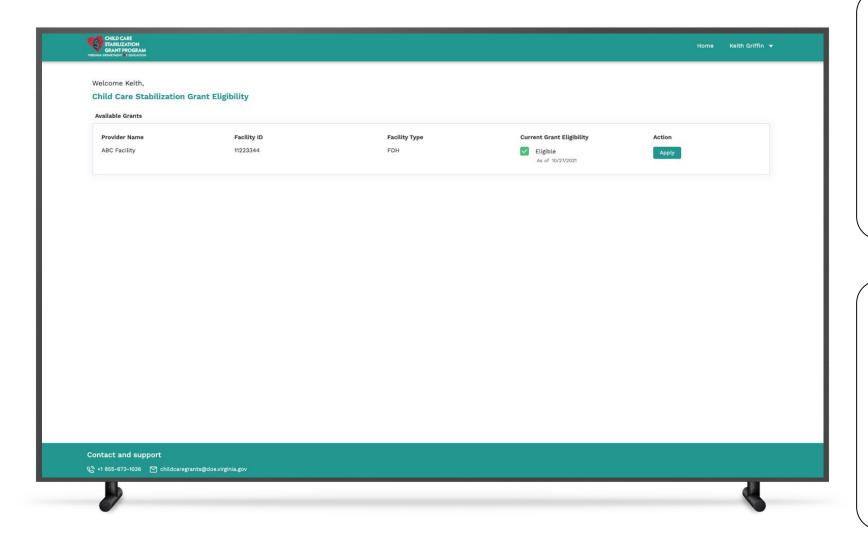
If you haven't received the email or think the email on file may be incorrect, please contact

childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov.

You only have to connect your account to a facility record one time.



# Child Care Stabilization Grant Eligibility



#### Instructions

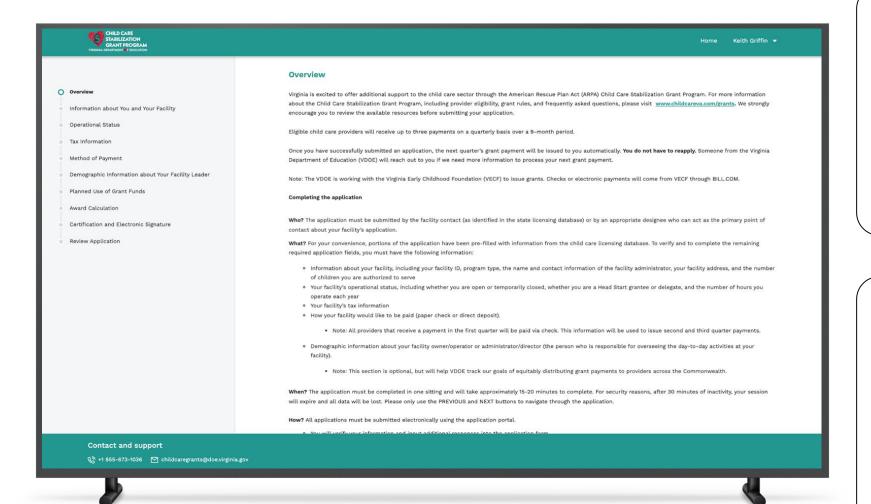
Click **Apply** to start the application.

### **Key Points**

Please note: Once the application has been started it cannot be saved and must be completed in a single session.



### Overview



#### Instructions

Carefully review the overview page and make sure you have the necessary information to complete the application in one sitting.

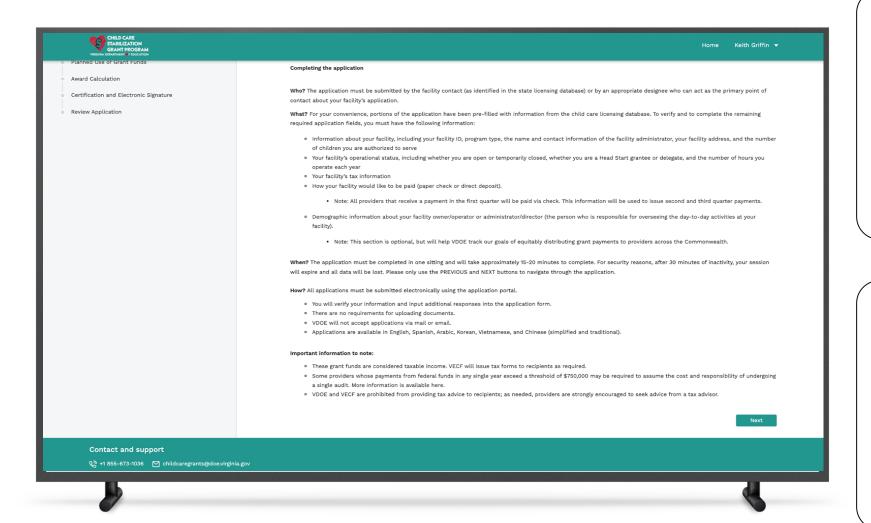


#### **Key Points**

If you need to gather documentation to help you answer the questions in the application, exit the application here and come back to it when you're ready.



### Overview



#### Instructions

Carefully review the overview page and make sure you have the necessary information to complete the application in one sitting.

Click Next



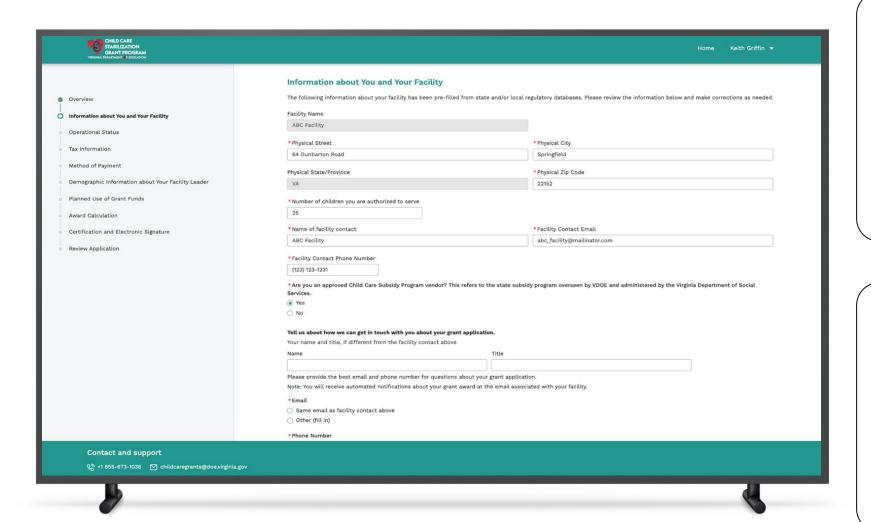
#### **Key Points**

Before you begin, you may want to have your

license, registration, certificate, or permit showing
authorized capacity and W9 Form showing
provider's legal name and FEIN or Social Security
Number handy.



# Information about You and Your Facility



#### Instructions

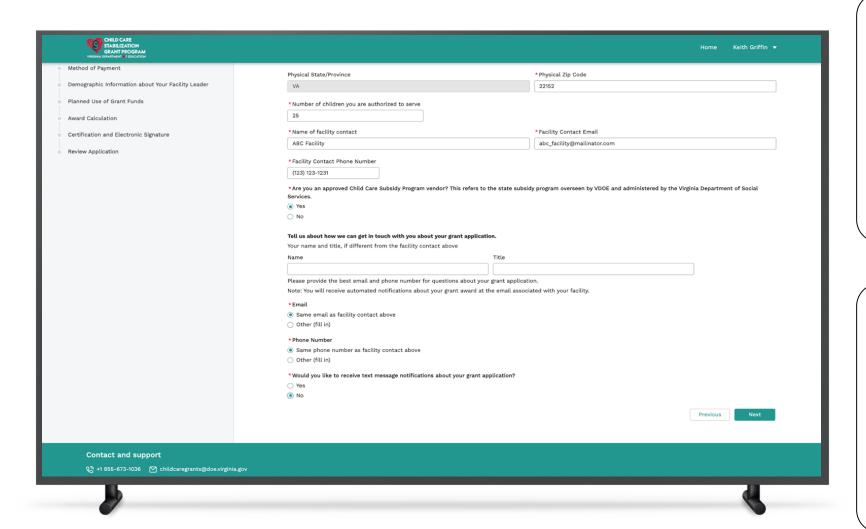
Review the pre-filled information and verify that it is correct.

### Key Points

Some information in this section has been prepopulated from state or local databases for your convenience.



# Information about You and Your Facility



#### Instructions

Complete the information about you, including the best way to reach out with questions about your application.

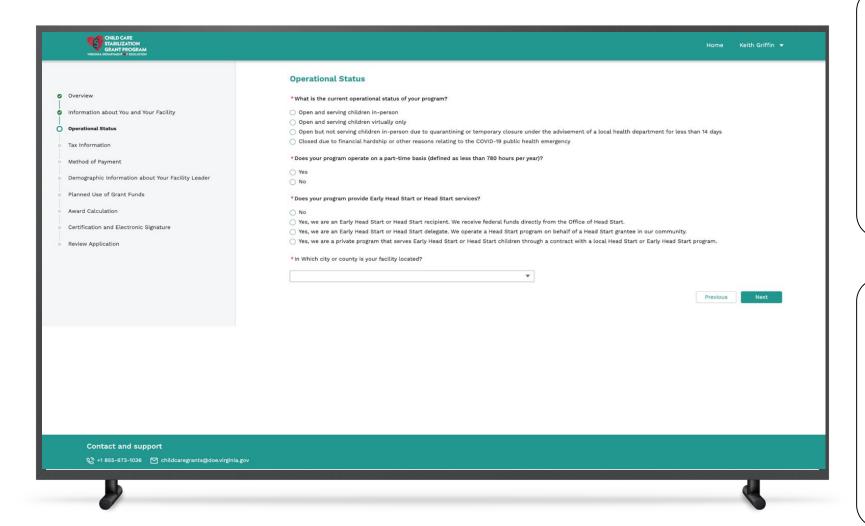
Click Next

#### **Key Points**

You will receive automated emails with information about your application status at the email address associated with your user account. If you'd like to receive text notifications as well, you can indicate so here.



# **Operational Status**



#### Instructions

Follow the prompts and select your responses.

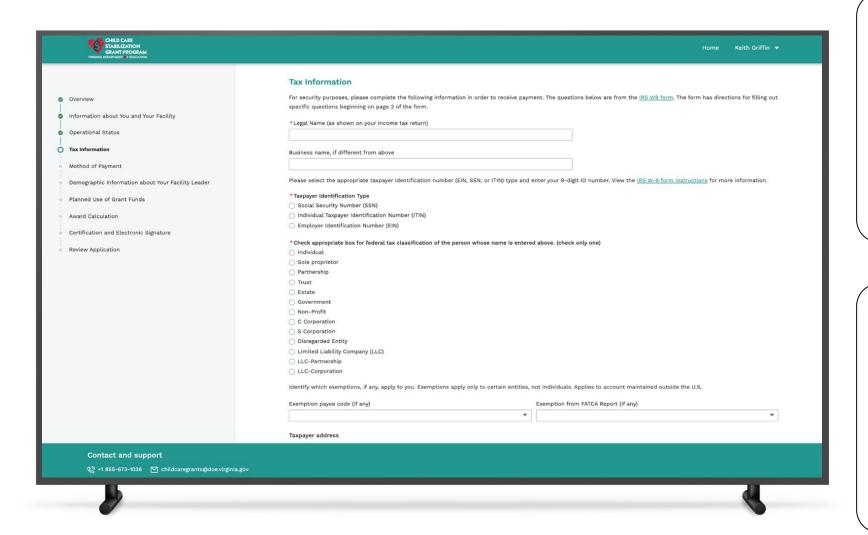
Click Next

# Key Points

If you aren't sure how to answer questions about your operating status, please contact <a href="mailto:childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov">childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov</a> and someone on the grants team can assist you.



# Tax Information



#### Instructions

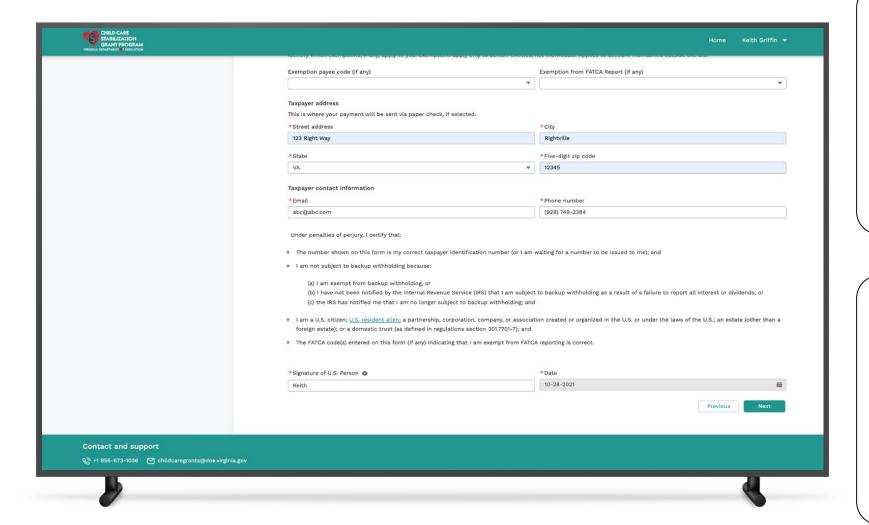
Follow the prompts and select your responses.



These questions directly reflect the IRS W9 Form and are required to issue payment. If you have questions about how to fill out this section of the application, please refer to the IRS W9 form link at the top of the page for instructions from the IRS.



### Tax Information



#### Instructions

Follow the prompts and select your responses

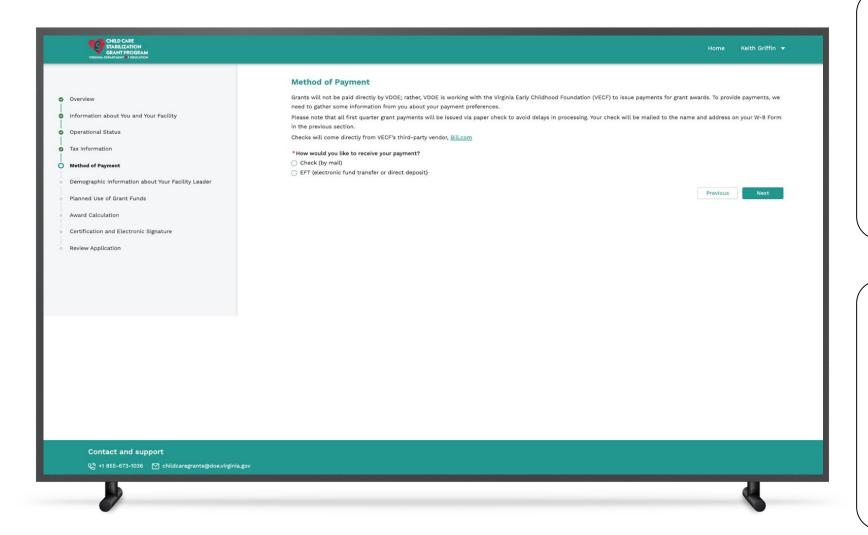
Click Next

### Key Points

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# Method of Payment



#### Instructions

Select your Method of Payment

Click Next

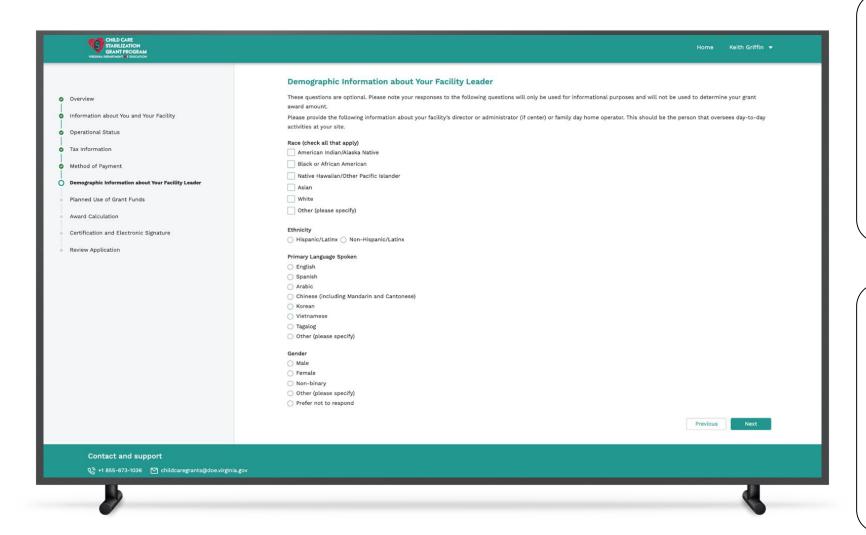


Everyone will receive first quarter payments via paper check to avoid processing delays. Paper checks will be mailed to the address provided on the W9 form.

If you elect to receive direct deposit, future payments will be issued accordingly. You will be prompted to provide an email address if you select this option. Additional steps are required to sign up for direct deposit.



# Demographic Information about Your Facility Leader



#### Instructions

Follow the prompts and select your responses.

Click **Next.** 

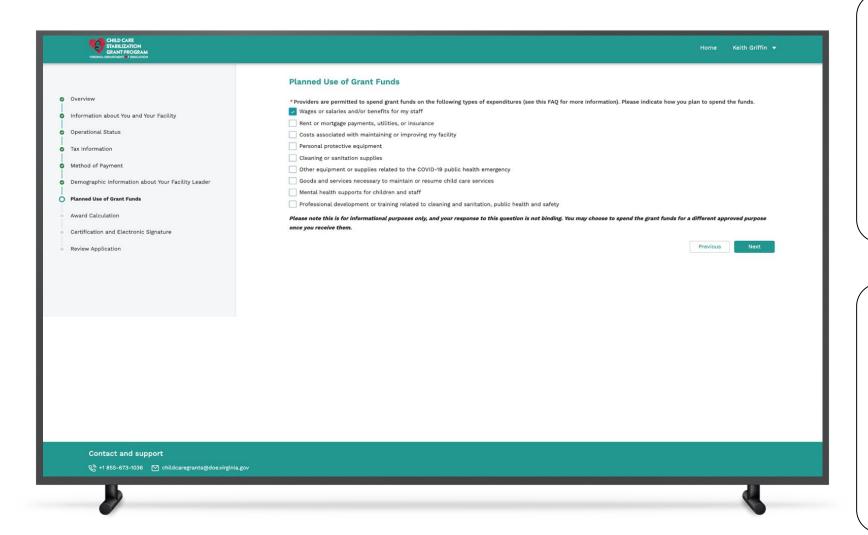
### Key Points

This section is optional, but will help VDOE track our progress toward our equity goals and help us meet federal reporting requirements.

If you choose to complete these questions, please consider the person that oversees the day-to-day operations of your program.



# Planned Uses of Funds



#### Instructions

Follow the prompts and select your responses.

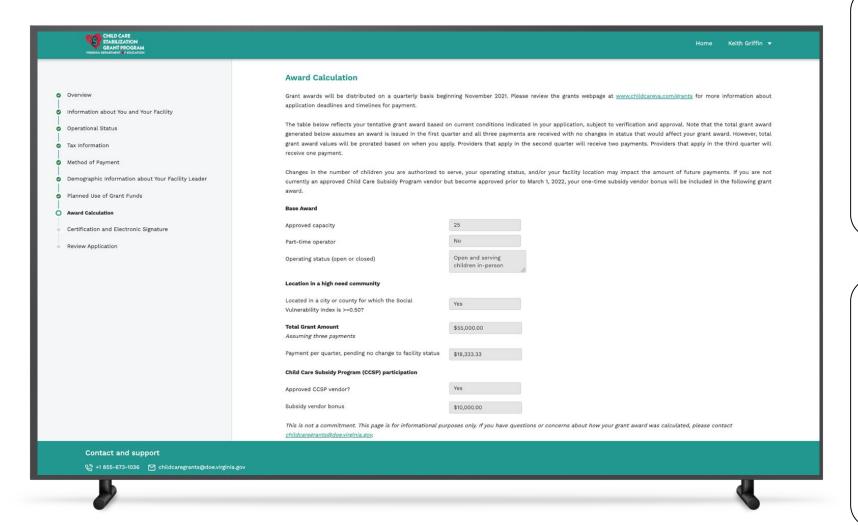
Click Next

### Key Points

Please note that this question is for informational purposes only. Your answer is not binding. You must check at least one item here, but it's ok if you end up spending your funds on another allowable cost after you receive them.



### **Award Calculation**



#### Instructions

Review the Award Calculation



#### **Key Points**

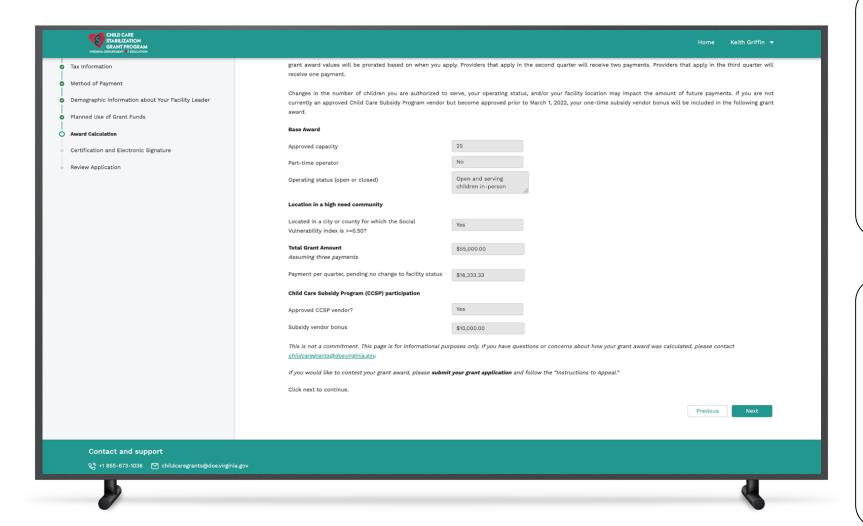
If you have questions about how your award is calculated, please contact

childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov.

If you believe your award isn't calculating correctly, please **submit your application** and contact <a href="mailto:childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov">childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov</a> with your application number in the subject line.



## **Award Calculation**



#### Instructions

Review the Award Calculation

Click Next



#### **Key Points**

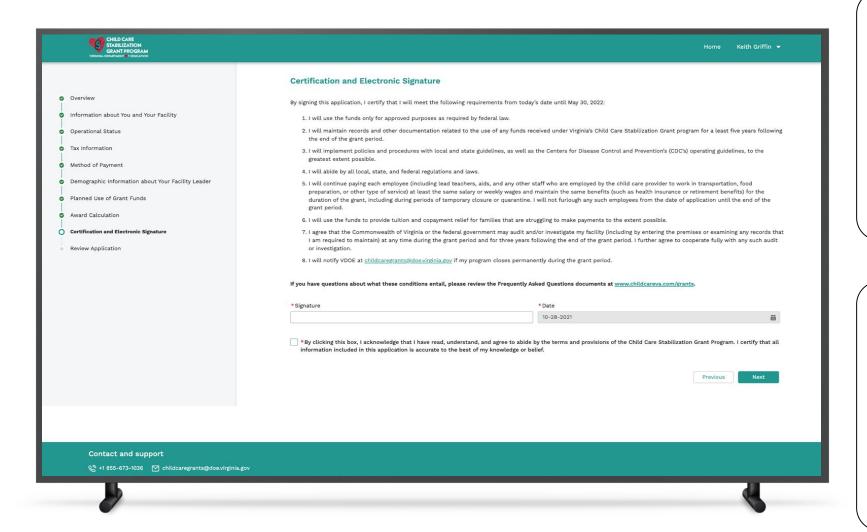
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# Certification and Electronic Signature



#### Instructions

Carefully review the Certification. Enter your full name and click the certification checkbox.

Click Next.



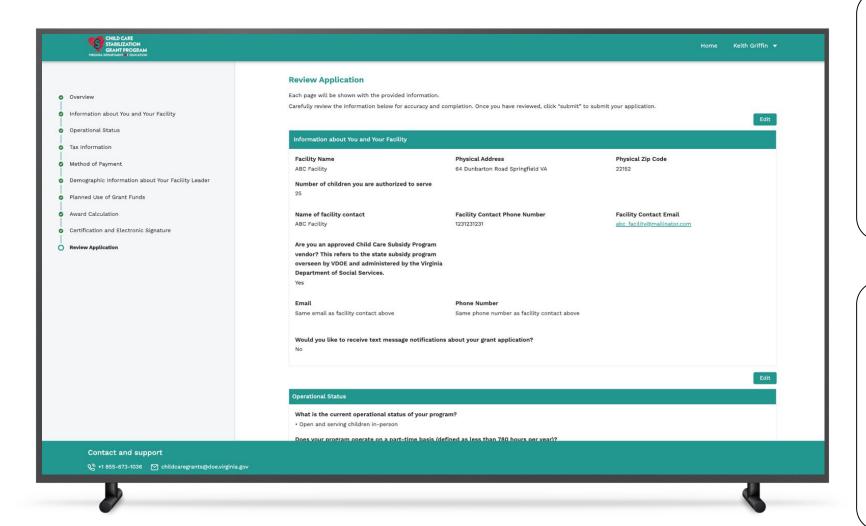
#### **Key Points**

By signing the application and checking the certification box, you indicate that you agree to meet the conditions on this page, and that the information you are submitting is accurate to the best of your knowledge.

If you need more information about the grant conditions, visit www.doe.virginia.gov/childcaregrants.



# **Review Application**



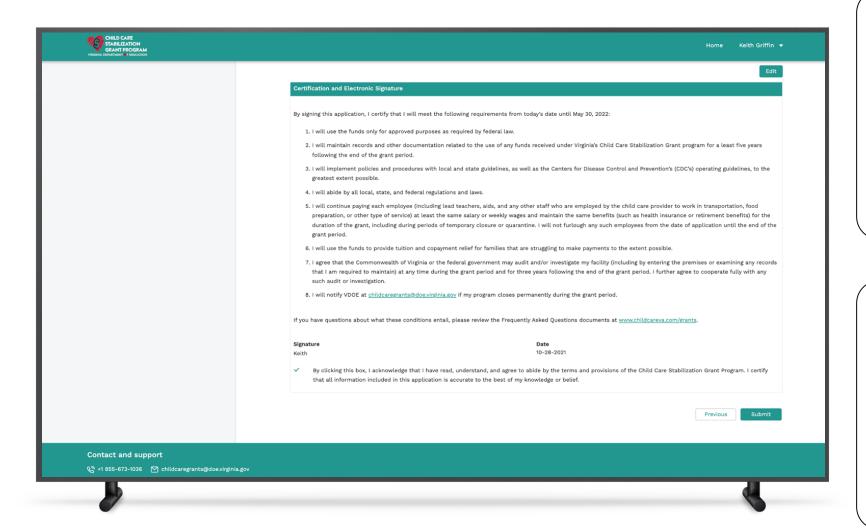
#### Instructions

Review your application information carefully. Click the "edit" button over any section if you need to make a correction.





# **Review Application**



#### Instructions

Review your application information carefully. Click the "edit" button over any section if you need to make a correction.

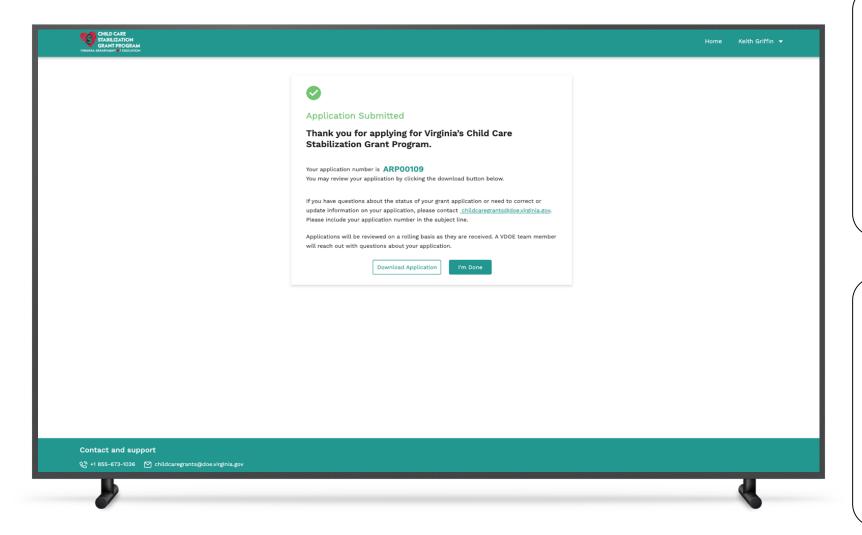
Click Submit.



Clicking **Submit** will formally submit your application and lock it for editing.



# Applying for a Grant



#### Instructions

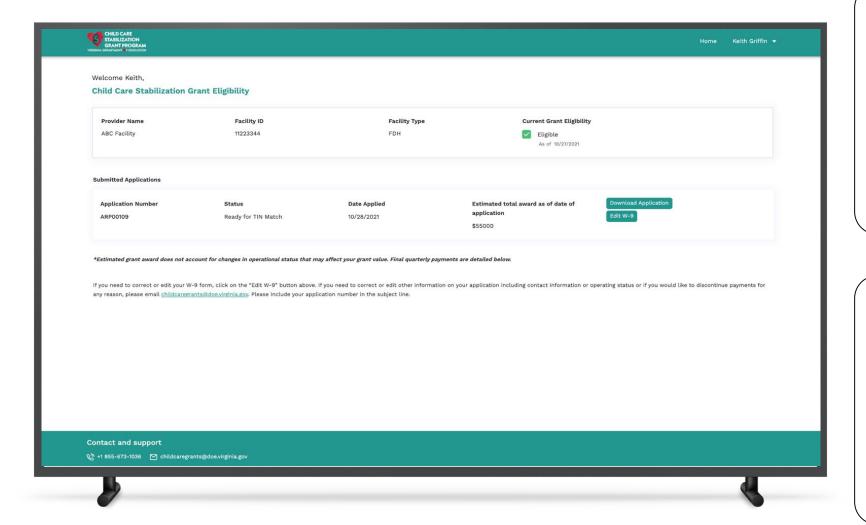
You may download the application by clicking the **Download Application** button; otherwise click **I'm Done** 

### Key Points

Success! Your application has been submitted. You will receive an email confirmation indicating that your application is under review. You can check the status of your application at any time in the provider portal.



# Applying for a Grant



#### Instructions

Your completed applications will display in the **Submitted Applications** section and can be downloaded at any time. If you are approved for payment, your grant award letter will appear here with the anticipated payment schedule and amounts.

If you need to update your tax information, you can do so by clicking **Edit W-9**.

# Key Points

The status of your application will automatically update as it proceeds through the process.

Email <a href="mailto:childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov">childcaregrants@doe.virginia.gov</a> if you need to update any information about your facility after you submit. Changes to your address or Facility Contact information should be reported to your licensing inspector or local regulatory contact.





# THANK YOU